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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a firm believer in small business and the competition it creates to improve many markets. I have seen all too often when large companies that the power and the resources available to them to block the growth of small business.

I am opposed to limiting my choices of internet carriers by federal regulations. Broadband is critical to my home and business and I live in a rural area with internet provided by a small provider. I do not want this to be taken away from us when they have spent the money to provide us internet access. We have been ignored by large companies and have found our local service to always be there looking out for our interest.

Sincerely, David B. Stull

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